MINUTES OF 2nd BOARD OF STUDIES (PG) MEETING OF AGRICULTURE UNIVERSITY, JODHPUR HELD ON 07.01.2025

The meeting of 2nd Board of Studies (PG) of Agriculture University, Jodhpur was held on 07.01.2025 at 2:30 PM in the Meeting Hall of Vice-Chancellor Secretariat, Agriculture, Jodhpur under the Chairmanship of Dr. Pradeep Pagaria, Director Education AU, Jodhpur.

The following members were attended the meeting

S. No	Name and Designation	As		
1.	Dr. Pradeep Pagaria, Director Education, AU, Jodhpur	Chairperson		
2.	Dr. S. R. Kumawat, DSW and Head, Deptt. of Extension Education, AU, Jodhpur	Member		
3.	Dr. Sita Ram Kumhar, Dean & Faculty Chairman and Head, Deptt. of Genetics and Plant Breeding, AU, Jodhpur	Member		
4.	Dr. J. R. Verma, Dean, CoA, Nagaur & Head, Deptt. of Plant Mo			
5.	Dr. R. L. Bhardwaj, Dean, CoA, Baytu & Head, Deptt. of Member Horticulture, AU, Jodhpur			
6.	Dr. Ramdev Sutaliya, Head, Deptt. of Agronomy, AU, Jodhpur	Member		
7.	Dr. U. N. Shukla, Controller of Examinations & Head, Deptt. of Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry, AU, Jodhpur	Member		
Profe	ssors other than Heads nominated by the Vice-Chancellor			
8.	Dr. M. K. Poonia, Dean & Professor (Hort.), CoA. Sumerpur Member			
Two 7	eachers nominated by the Vice-Chancellor			
9.	Dr. Chandan Roy, Assoc. Prof. (GPB), CoA, Jodhpur Memb			
10.	Dr. Dan Singh Jakhar, Asstt. Prof. (GPB), CoA, Jodhpur Member			
Two c	utside experts co-opted by the Board of Studies concerned	from amongs		
perso	ns who are not teachers in the University			
11	Dr. Virendra Singh, Prof. (Agriculture Economics), GB Pant Member University of Agriculture & Technology, Pantnagar			
12.	Dr. B. D. Bhuj, Professor (Horticulture), GB Pant University of Agriculture & Technolosy. Pantnagar	Member		

At the outset, Dr. Pradeep Pagaria, Director Education, AU, Jodhpur, welcomed Deans, Director, all HOD's and all the nominated external members in the meeting of Board of Studies and apprised about the action taken of the previous meeting. After this, the Chairman raised the agenda items one by one and each agenda items were thoroughly discussed and resolution made are as under:

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Agenda No.	Particular			
AUJ/BOS (PG)-2/ 2025/01	Confirmation of the minutes of the 1th Board of Studies Meeting (PG) held on July 23, 2024 Resolution: Confirmed.			
AUJ/BOS (PG)-2/ 2025/02	To consider and approve the start of M.Sc. (Agri.) degree programmes in Agronomy and Genetics & Plant Breeding with an intake capacity of four seats each at the College of Agriculture, Nagaur, from the Academic Year 2025-26. Resolution: The house considered and approve to start M.Sc. (Agri.) degree programme in the department of Agronomy and Genetics & Plant Breeding with intake of six seats (4 normal + 2 payment) and four seats (3 normal + 1 payment), respectively from Academic year 2025-26 at the College of Agriculture, Nagaur.			
		Name of Master's degree programme	Number of Seats	
	1.	M. Sc. (Agri.) Agronomy	6 (4 Normal + 2 Payment)	
	2.	M. Sc. (Agri.) Genetics and Plant Breeding	4 (3 Normal + 1 Payment)	
	Action	: Registrar, AU, Jodhpur		
AUJ/BOS (PG)-2/ 2025/03	Demarcation and allotment of land for the research trials of Organic Farming in PG Programme at CoA, Jodhpur Resolution: Considering the significance of dedicated land/field for organic farming research, the house deliberated and approved the provisional allotment of field 12B at ARS, Mandor, for the postgraduate research activities of students.			
	Action	: Director Research, AU, Jodhpur		
AUJ/BOS (PG)-2/ 2025/04	To consider and approve the proposal for permitting Ph.D. students to serve as Teaching Assistants for undergraduate (UG) classes.			
	Resolution: After through discussion, the house agreed to the proposal and recommended its implementation. It was resolved to constitute a committee tasked with formulating detailed guidelines for the effective engagement of Ph.D. students as Teaching Assistants.			
	Action: Director Education, AU, Jodhpur			
AUJ/BOS (PG)-2/ 2025/05	Insect	nsider the examination pattern for the Taxonomy and ENTO 611: Insect Phyloredit load (1+2).		
	the pro	tion: After detailed discussion, the house oposed changes. It was resolved that the for courses with a credit structure	e current examination	



Agenda No.	Particular		
	unchanged.		
	Action: Director Education, AU, Jodhpur		
AUJ/BOS (PG)-2/ 2025/06	To consider and approve the Programme Outcome (PO) and Programme Specific Outcome (PSO) of PG in Agronomy, Organic Farming, Vegetable Science, Fruit Science, (Plantation, Spices Medicinal & Aromatic Crops), Genetics and Plant Breeding, Plant Pathology, Entomology, Extension Education and Soil Science and Ph.D. in Agronomy, Vegetable Science. Genetics and Plant Breeding, Plant Pathology and Entomology degree Programmes.		
	Resolution: House anonymously approved the Programme Outcome (PO) and Programme Specific Outcome (PSO) of listed programmes as submitted by the respective Heads of Departments.		
	Action: Director Education, AU, Jodhpur		
AUJ/BOS (PG)-2/ 2025/07	To consider and approve the inclusion of Report of using e-Resource Platform, viz: CeRA, Shodhganga etc. that are subscribed by the University at the time of Pre-submission of PG and Ph.D. thesis. Resolution: House agreed unanimously and approved.		
<u>Tananya.</u>	Action: Director Education, AU, Jodhpur		
AUJ/BOS (PG)-2/ 2025/08	To consider and approve the Feedback Systems from different Stockholders.		
	Resolution: After detailed deliberation, the house agreed to implementation the proposed feedback performa for various stakeholders. However, it was resolved that suggestions from relevant experts should be obtained prior to final implementation to ensure effectiveness and comprehensiveness.		
	Action: Director Education, AU, Jodhpur.		
AUJ/BOS (PG)-2/ 2025/09	To confer Honorary Doctorate Degree (D.Sc.) to following stalwart of Indian Agriculture. 1. Dr. Kirodi Lal Meena, Minister of Agriculture and Horticulture of Rajasthan 2. Dr. J. S. Sandhu, Former Vice Chancellor, NDUAT, Kumarganj, Faizabad and SKNAU, Jobner.		
	Resolution: House agreed unanimously and approved. Action: Registrar, AU, Jodhpur		

The meeting was ended with vote of thanks to the chair and all the members of the committee.

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